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SUBJECT: JAPAN'S BALANCE OF PAYMENTS IN FEBRUARY - REVISED

1. SUMMARY: REVISED DATA ON JAPAN'S BALANCE OF PAYMENTS
RELEASED BY MINISTRY OF FINANCE (MOF) MAR 29 SHOW ONLY
MINOR REVISIONS FROM PRELIMINARY FIGURES REPORTED REFTTEL.
ADDITIONAL DATA ON LONG-TERM CAPITAL ACCOUNTS NOW
AVAILABLE HIGHLIGHTED BY DECLINE IN FOREIGN PURCHASES OF
JAPANESE SECURITIES DURING FEB TO \$50 MIL, FROM \$260 MIL
IN JAN. END SUMMARY.

2. FOLLOWING ARE REVISED DATA, IMF BASIS, FOR FEB B/P
IN MIL DOLLARS. ALL ITEMS ARE PLUS (I.E. RECEIPTS) UNLESS
SHOWN AS "MIN." NOTE THAT MOF SEASONALLY ADJUSTS EXPORTS
AND IMPORTS ONLY AND ALL OTHER BALANCES ARE DERIVED.

	(1) SEASONALLY PRELIMINARY	(2) UNADJUSTED REVISED	(3) SEASONALLY ADJUSTED REVISED
(1) CURRENT BALANCE	650	664	809

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TRADE BALANCE	1,250	1,253	1,398
EXPORTS	5,740	5,744	6,352
IMPORTS	MIN 4,490	MIN 4,491	MIN 4,954
SERVICES AND TRANSFERS	MIN 600	MIN 589	MIN 589
(2) LONG-TERM CAPITAL	MIN 200	MIN 196	MIN 196
(3) BASIC BALANCE	450	468	613

(4) NON-MONETARY SHORT-
TERM CAPITAL AND ERRORS
AND OMISSIONS

COMBINED	10	MIN	15	MIN	15
(5) OVERALL BALANCE	460		453		598

(6) COMMERCIAL BANKS' SHORT-TERM

NET POSITION	MIN	150	MIN	144	MIN	144
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(7) OFFICIAL SETTLEMENTS

BALANCE	310		309		454
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3. FOLLOWING ARE DETAILS NOW AVAILABLE ON LONG-TERM CAPITAL
TRANSACTIONS IN FEB

ASSETS	LIABILITIES
DIRECT INVESTMENT	MIN 140 11
LOANS	MIN 16 MIN 36
TRADE CREDITS	MIN 178 0
EXTERNAL BOND	
ISSUES	0 60
OTHER SECURITY	
TRANSACTIONS	17 49
OTHER	37 0
TOTAL	MIN 280 84

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